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OF

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INCLUDING

The Property of SIR J. DUNNINGTON-JEFFERSON ;

The Property of THE HON. MRS. BUCKMASTER ;

AND

The Property of MRS. E. M. TAIG

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OF

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DAY OF SALE:

Tuesday, 1st March, 1949

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WATCHES

Various Properties

1 An old English Watch, *by Lewis Samuel, Liverpool,* in a gold case, with an outer case chased with classic figures and festoon ornament, the dial set with various stones

2 A Swiss Watch in a gold case, the back enamelled in green, with a white border, a single diamond in the centre; and an 18th Century French Watch, *by Vaucher, Paris,* enamelled in dark blue within pearl borders

3 Another, *by Gilbert, Paris,* in a gold case, the back with a miniature of a woman within white zircon borders; and an old English Watch, *by William Crayton London,* 1768, in a gold case and an outer case chased with classic figures in rococo borders

4 An old English Watch, in a gold case, with a chased dial; and another *by George Goodman, London,* in a gold case and an outer case chased with flora decoration

5 A Swiss repeating Watch, *by Dufa, Geneva,* in a gold case and an outer case chased with an urn within foliate borders; and another, *by Lépine, Paris,* with a repeating action, the back enamelled with a pastoral scene, in an outer frame pierced and enamelled

6 An old English Watch, *by David Morice, Fenchurch Street*, 1807, in an 18 carat gold case and plain enamel dial

7 An old English Watch, in a gold case, *by Wightman & Moss, London, circa* 1800, the back enamelled in dark blue, with an outer border of pale blue, with gold piqué decoration and an outer case in pinchbeck

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SEALS, ETC.

8 Eight gilt Seals, of various patterns ; and a Watch Seal, 18*th Century* 9

9 Six Seals, with gold mounts, set with various stones ; and an 18th Century Ring, set with a carnelian, with rose diamond shoulders ; and another, with a bloodstone in a gold border 2

10 A gold Seal, set with an engraved carnelian ; another, in silver, engraved as a perpetual calendar, set with a sard intaglio ; a pair of gold Oriental Ear-rings ; a gold cherub Ear-ring ; and another, as an owl ; a gold Tie-pin ; a gold Medallion with an agate centre ; a porcelain Umbrella Handle ; and four miscellaneous items *a lot*

JEWELLERY, ETC.

11 A diamond single-stone Ring ; a diamond three-stone Ring ; a 22 carat gold Wedding Ring ; two small Brooches ; a lady's gold Hunter Watch ; and a Watch Chain 7

12 A Victorian gold Band Bracelet, the circular centre with a diamond star, with blue enamel outline ; and a diamond cluster Stud, matching 2

13 A Necklace of Turkish gold Coins, in a single row and with drop fringe graduated ; a pair of Ear-rings, matching ; and four small unmounted Coins 7

14 A diamond and rose diamond six-point Star Brooch

15 A gold Necklet, basket-pattern, with a beaded edge ; a gold flexible curb Bracelet ; and two gold Band Bracelets 4

16 A gold Band Bracelet ; a Chinese Bracelet, chased ; two gold Rings ; a gold Button Hook ; and a Spade Guinea 6

17 A garnet Necklet ; a silver filigree Necklet ; two gold Brooches ; a claw Brooch ; a Tie-pin ; a pair of Cuff Studs ; a Comb ; and a gold Bracelet of links chased with birds and alternating plaques of carved tortoiseshell 10

18 An antique diamond Cluster Ring ; a ruby and diamond five-stone Ring ; an emerald and diamond five-stone Ring ; a ruby single-stone Ring ; and a Cameo Ring 5

19 An emerald and diamond three-stone Ring

20 A Chinese mother-o'-pearl and gold Suite, comprising:—a Necklet of black mother-o'-pearl beads in two rows, with fine gold mounts, chased, with a cross pendant; and a pair of Bracelets, matching; in wood cases 6

21 A LARGE OBLONG SAPPHIRE, MOUNTED WITH SMALL DIAMONDS, AS A RING

22 A large Peridot, with a border of diamonds and an outer border of pearls, with a pearl and diamond loop as a pendant, with a gold Necklet 2

23 A sapphire and diamond five-stone Ring

24 A gilt Necklet, of fourteen rows; two single-row Necklets, similar; three Bracelets; a gold Long-chain; two gold Watch Chains; and a gold Fob, with a charm attached 10

25 A Pocket Watch, in 18-carat gold demi-hunter case, *by Hunt and Roskell*; and a gold Watch Chain, with two charms and a pencil attached 5

26 A gold Snake Ring, the head set with an emerald; eight Rings, various; a gold Lorgnette; two gold Lockets; six Tie-pins, various; a Necessaire, with three fittings; a carnelian Seal, with a gold mount; and eighteen miscellaneous small items *a lot*

27 A pair of pearl Studs; a Tie-pin, in the form of a tennis racquet, in diamonds and rubies; an antique crystal and diamond Flower Brooch; an Indian Chatelaine of medallions attached by chains set with rubies, with three charms attached; two Brooches and an Ear-ring, matching 11

28 A Russian Snuff Box, with niello decoration; a lady's silver Cigarette Case, with a garnet pushpiece, *by Faberge*; a silver Cigarette Case, with vesta box end; and a crystal Scent Flagon, with gold mount 4

29 A mixed collection of Bead Necklets, Corals, etc., in a box studded with agates *a lot*

30 A Necklet of one hundred and fifteen pearls, with a diamond cluster snap

31 A Star Pendant of strung pearls; another, smaller; and a Necklet of small pearls, with an antique snap 3

32 A diamond five-stone half-hoop Ring; and an antique miniature Pendant in diamonds, with a crystal box centre 2

33 A RUBY AND DIAMOND CLUSTER RING

34 A STOMACHER IN ROSE DIAMONDS WITH AN EMERALD CENTRE AND PEARL BORDERS AND A DROP

35 AN ATTRACTIVE NECKLET OF FINE YELLOW TOPAZES, comprising twenty-four stones collet-set in gold, with a gold chain back

36 A gold Pendant, with a garnet and rose diamond centre; a small gold Brooch, with a garnet flower centre; a gold Pendant of Etruscan design, with an amethyst centre; a gold Watch Chain, cable pattern; and a gold foxhead Pendant on a gold Necklet 5

37 An early Victorian Pendant in the form of a garnet cross with a diamond cluster centre and foliate tips, on a gold snake-pattern Necklet, with a slide in diamonds, with a carbuncle heart-shaped centre

38 A sapphire Eternity Ring

39 A pair of diamond Ear-rings, each with a large cushion-shaped stone and small single-stone tops 2

41 A Negligé in diamonds and olivines of open scrolls, with an opal drop in similar borders, on a platinum Necklet

42 A lady's Wrist Watch, oval shape, with black enamel and diamond borders, on moiré silk wristlet

The Property of Sir J. Dunnington-Jefferson

43 A Necklet of foiled crystal set in gold; two Bracelets and a pair of Ear-rings, matching; in original case 6

44 A gold band Bracelet, with filigree decoration and a centre cluster of turquoise and rose diamonds; a Brooch, very similar, with enamelled bands; and a Pendant, matching; in case 4

45 A gold Bracelet in various colours of estruscan bead-work, with five mother-o'-pearl plaques with mosaic centres; and a gold lozenge-shaped Brooch of chased foliage, set with topaz 2

Other Properties

46 A large gold Brooch of etruscan bead-work with foliage, set with various semi-precious stones; and another Brooch of pierced etruscan design, with enamelled flowers 2

47 A pair of Bracelets, the shell cameo centres with a border of etruscan floral-work in gold, each with a five-chain back 2

48 A Cameo carved as a man's head in shell, with a gold floral border; and another, of similar work, with imitation pearls; a Cameo carved as a woman's head, with a gold border; a Mosaic Brooch with a gold border; and a gold flexible Bracelet of fancy links, set with turquoise, with a pendant 6

49 A gold flexible Bracelet of tendril links; a gold Watch Chain; two gold Lockets; two gold Brooches; and a pair of Ear-rings 8

50 Two small diamond antique Rings; and fifteen others, various 17

51 Two gold Long-chains; a lady's gold Watch; a gold Locket, with an enamel cross; an Italian Cross, enamelled in colours and set with garnets; a coral and gold Brooch; a turquoise and gold Brooch; and a garnet and crystal Memorial Pendant 8

52 A large gold Brooch set with chrysophrase in gold, chased with flowers and cornucopia and with three drops set with amethysts and chrysophrase; in case 2

53 A Dutch silver Spoon ; two hair Bracelets ; silver Bangles and Bracelets ; and a miscellaneous Collection of Brooches, Pendants, etc. *a lot*

54 A jade Pendant, circular and carved with masks, with a centre star sapphire on a gold necklet ; and a gold Brooch of pierced arcaded design, set with small outer pearls and rose diamonds and five-point surmount, each set with chrysophrase (*one fitting to form a comb*) 3

55 A PAIR OF INDIAN BRACELETS OF OBLONG EMERALDS (?), with cabochon centre stones, one with a large oblong snap, the backs enamelled with flowers in green and white 2

56 A Pendant of carbuncles and rose diamonds in the form of a fruit spray with a gold necklet ; and a sapphire single-stone Ring 2

57 An 18th Century Cross, enamelled in blue, with rose diamond mounts and a pair of Ear-rings, heart-shaped with bow tops, matching 3

58 A HOLBEINESQUE PENDANT IN GOLD, oval, enamelled in colours, the centre with a cabochon emerald, enamel and diamond borders and ruby points with a drop the back chased with scrolling foliage

59 A PAIR OF SMALL PENDANTS MATCHING THE PRECEDING LOT 2

60 A LARGE GOLD BOX chased in relief with rococo scrolls and foliage, the base surface chased and the lid with a miniature of the Emperor of Austria set in a border of diamonds and larger collet-set stones as an outer border ; in case with gilt tooling 2

61 A LOUIS XVI BOX, circular, enamelled *en plein* in " bleu-de-roi ", the borders in gold, pierced in a floral cross-over design, the cover inset with an enamelled portrait of Louis XVI framed in gold, chased with flowers and ribbon ties, 3*in. diam.*

62 A small gold Snuff Box, oblong, engine-turned, with an interior division and another, chased with arabesque scrolls, the lid enamelled with figures in a pastoral setting 2

The Property of a Gentleman

63 A DIAMOND BRACELET ATTRACTIVELY DESIGNED IN FOUR CIRCULAR SECTIONS WITH CONNECTING LINKS, THE CENTRE SET WITH LARGE CIRCULAR-CUT STONES WITH BORDERS OF BAGUETTES AND OUTER BORDERS OF TRIANGULAR STONES, *flexible*

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64 AN IMPORTANT DIAMOND NECKLET DESIGNED AS ELLIPSE-SHAPED LINKS WITH COLLET-SET STONES BETWEEN EACH AND A PENDANT OF FOLIATE DESIGN WITH SINGLE-STONE BORDERS, WITH THREE CIRCULAR-CUT DROPS

Other Properties

65 A DIAMOND THREE-STONE RING

66 A trefoil Brooch, comprising :—a diamond, a white pearl and a bronze pearl, on a bar

67 A PAIR OF OBLONG AQUAMARINES MOUNTED WITH DIAMONDS AS CHAIN-DROP EAR-RINGS 2

68 A DIAMOND CIRCULAR CLUSTER RING WITH A LARGE CENTRE STONE

69 TWO DIAMONDS SET AS A TWIN RING, with smaller stones in the mount

70 TWO DIAMONDS AND A SAPPHIRE MOUNTED AS A RING, in oval borders

71 A COPY OF "THE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE ORDER" IN DIAMONDS, with a pavé-set ruby centre and applied chaplet and crown set with emeralds and rubies

72 A DIAMOND DOUBLE CLIP OF FINE QUALITY, in a loop and arcaded design of circular and baguette-cut stones

73 A BARLEYCORN SPRAY IN DIAMONDS WITH A RIBBON TIE

74 A CUSHION-SHAPED DIAMOND-MOUNTED SOLITAIRE AS A RING

75 A LARGE TRIANGULAR-SHAPED OPAL, BEAUTIFULLY IRRIDESCENT AND MOUNTED IN A SKELETON FRAME, on a platinum Necklet

76 A SINGLE DIAMOND, CUSHION-SHAPE, MOUNTED AS A RING

77 A DIAMOND TWO-STONE CROSS-OVER RING

78 A LARGE YELLOW DIAMOND, OBLONG, TRAP-CUT, SET SOLITAIRE AS A RING, WITH WHITE BATON-SHAPED STONES IN THE SHOULDERS

79 A PEARL AND DIAMOND BRACELET OF THREE CLUSTERS, WITH RUBY AND DIAMOND LINK CONNECTIONS

80 A PAIR OF SMALL BROOCHES IN RUBIES AND DIAMONDS, lozenge-shape and pavé-set with festoons

81 A NECKLET OF THREE ROWS OF CULTURED PEARLS, NICELY GRADUATED AND OF SUPERB QUALITY, WITH A PEARL SNAP

82 A cultured pearl Necklet, with a paste snap

83 A DIAMOND FLEXIBLE BRACELET, of pavé-set Gothic sections, with large stones set as a centre line

84 AN IMPORTANT DIAMOND TIARA, of floral design, with clusters, and a ribbon bow and entwined scroll base

85 A NECKLET, of cross-over and loop fringe design, set with small turquoise in gold, with rose diamond foliage in the open sections

86 AN IMPORTANT NECKLET OF TEN AQUAMARINES OF GRADUATING SIZE, EACH SEPARATED BY A DIAMOND FAN-SHAPED LINK

The Property of the Hon. Mrs. Buckmaster

87 AN IMPORTANT BANDEAU IN DIAMONDS, ATTRACTIVELY DESIGNED AS A NARROW BAND, the centre with a cluster of baguette stones and flower-shaped clusters, each side with curled ends, set with circular and baguette-cut stones

The Property of a Lady

88 A FINE RUBY, TRAP-CUT, AS THE CENTRE OF A RING, WITH TWO BAGUETTE CUT DIAMONDS ON EITHER SIDE

89 A LARGE OBLONG DIAMOND, TRAP-CUT, SET SOLITAIRE AS A RING, WITH SMALL STONES IN THE SHOULDERS

The Property of Mrs. E. M. Taig

90 A DIAMOND BRACELET OF ELEVEN CLOSE CLUSTERS ON A GOLD HOOP

91 A DIAMOND BROOCH OF THREE STONES SET ON A GOLD BAR

92 A DIAMOND RING OF FIVE STONES CORONET SET

93 A DIAMOND AND EMERALD FIVE-STONE HALF-HOOP RING

94 A SAPPHIRE AND DIAMOND FIVE-STONE HALF-HOOP RING

The Property of a Lady

95 A LARGE EMERALD OF SUPERB COLOUR, OBLONG, MOUNTED AS A RING, WITH SMALL BAGUETTE-CUT DIAMONDS IN THE SHOULDERS

96 A LARGE DIAMOND OF PERFECT COLOUR, STEP-CUT, AS A RING WITH SMALL BAGUETTE-CUT STONES IN THE SHOULDERS

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Lot		£	s.	d.
1	Posener	28	0	0
2	Abelson	24	0	0
3	Abelson	24	0	0
4	Abelson	24	0	0
5	Posener	26	0	0
6	Abelson	18	0	0
7	Abelson	20	0	0
8	Bloomstein	17	0	0
9	Bloomstein	17	0	0
10	Bloomstein	10	10	0
11	Lapidus	31	0	0
12	Beatty	27	0	0
13	Bloomstein	40	0	0
14	Waite	32	0	0
15	Bloomstein	35	0	0
16	Walter, C. G.	23	0	0
17	Bloomstein	12	0	0
18	Cameo Corner	30	0	0
19	Derrick	35	0	0
20	Bentley	38	0	0
21	Drayson	60	0	0
22	Cameo Corner	64	0	0
23	Beatty	22	0	0
24	Cullum	14	0	0
25	Bloomstein	29	0	0
26	Bloomstein	32	0	0
27	Bloomstein	15	0	0
28	D. Hall Ltd.	24	0	0
29	Meier, L.	4	0	0
30	Drayson	80	0	0
31	Posener	36	0	0
32	Collins, D. C.	64	0	0
33	Bentley	50	0	0
34	Bentley	30	0	0
35	Cameo Corner	11	0	0
36	Green, Mrs.	12	0	0
37	Collins, D. C.	54	0	0
38	Antrobus	16	0	0
39	Tropp, S.	210	0	0
41	Dougal	70	0	0
42	Posener	14	0	0
43	Drayson	50	0	0
44	Bentley	46	0	0
45	Bentley	28	0	0
46	Hakim	42	0	0
47	Gorevic, N.	36	0	0
48	Bloomstein	18	0	0
49	Bloomstein	42	0	0
50	Cullum	30	0	0
51	Bloomstein	26	0	0
52	Julius	28	0	0
53	Bloomstein	8	0	0
54	Morgan	34	0	0
55	Cameo Corner	34	0	0
56	Bentley	22	0	0
57	Cameo Corner	24	0	0
58	Cameo Corner	40	0	0
59	Cameo Corner	20	0	0
60	Posener	440	0	0
61	Waite	88	0	0
62	Soley	50	0	0
63	Winser	620	0	0
64	Drage, Sir B.	500	0	0
65	Stoederum	130	0	0
66	Elford	52	0	0
67	Truman	50	0	0
68	Levy, D.	150	0	0
69	Derrick	56	0	0
70	Stoederum	58	0	0
71	Collins, D. C.	100	0	0
72	Posener	350	0	0
73	Collins, D. C.	230	0	0
74	Tropp, S.	55	0	0
75	Elford	110	0	0
76	Collins, D. C.	320	0	0
77	Steinfeld	300	0	0
78	Whitbread	160	0	0
79	Elford	70	0	0
80	Karger	70	0	0
81	Soley	230	0	0

Lot		£	s.	d.
82	Thorne	.. 24	0	0
83	Staal, A. ..	..450	0	0
84	Collins, D. C.	..300	0	0
85	Cameo Corner	.. 50	0	0
86	Bentley ..	..125	0	0
86A	Berkhill ..	..400	0	0
87	Derrick.. ..	..900	0	0
88	Antrobus ..	..120	0	0
89	Collins, D. C.	..720	0	0
90	Withdrawn			
91	Soley	..160	0	0
92	Bentley ..	.. 60	0	0
93	Collins, D. C.	.. 70	0	0
94	Bull	.. 80	0	0
94A	Sykes	1,750	0	0
95	Posener ..	3,000	0	0
96	Thoms	3,100	0	0
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